

Full-term test N°3

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I -READING COMPREHENSION

Answer the following questions.

1/ **How old** was Michael Jackson when he joined the Jackson brothers ?

2/ **When** did the group become the most popular one ?

3/ **How many** copies did Thriller sell ?

4/ **Why** did Michael Jackson become a consistent target for scandals?

5/ These statements are false. Correct them with reference to the text .

a- Michael Jackson could only sing and dance.

b- Michael Jackson was very indifferent to needy people.

c- Only a few people will remember Michael Jackson

6/ Circle the right explanation of the underlined words

He donated tickets for underprivileged children.

a- Very intelligent b- needy c- successful

He set up the M J Burn Center for Children.

a- Fought b- founded c- felt

II- LANGUAGE

1-What do the underlined sentences express ? choose the right function from the following list (Polite request - asking about likes – suggesting – certainty – probability – appreciation).



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2- Circle the right options. (3mks)

Lucy is a hard-working school girl. Yesterday her english teacher asked the whole class to work in **(bands – groups – together)**. The assignment was to write an email on how to keep their school clean and green. No sooner had the teacher finished his brief outline of the main points, than they started writing . lucy was taking notes **(while – because – so)** her friends were **(thinking – discussing – talking)** ideas and exchanging opinions . peter, lucy’s **(classmate – roommate – playmate)** was busy making the writing plan and **(think - thought – thinks)** of a possible concluding sentence. Everybody was doing his or her share and enjoying the **(disadvantages – goods – benefits)** of cooperative work.

3- Fill in the blanks with the right words from the list. Be careful ! there is an extra word.

Which – was - founded – raised – urging – support – foundation

Show Your Heart - GACKT's Charity for victims of the Japanese 9.0 Earthquake and Tsunami [By The little Diva](#)



Only hours after Japandevastated by a 9.0 magnitude earthquake and a resulting tsunamihammered its Northeastern coasts - GACKT the prominent musician and actor.....a charity to help those affected by the Japanese natural disasters.

His website "Show Your Heart" has alreadyover 1.5 US dollars, all of which will be donated directly to the Japanese RedCross and local welfare organizations in the affected regions.

GACKT has reached out to fellow musicians, radio, and tv personalities in Japan asking for..... Their messages line the web page of "Show Your Heart"everyone to work together, to give what they can, and for those suffering not to give up.

Every Little Bit Helps - even just getting the word out to others online. - The Little Diva

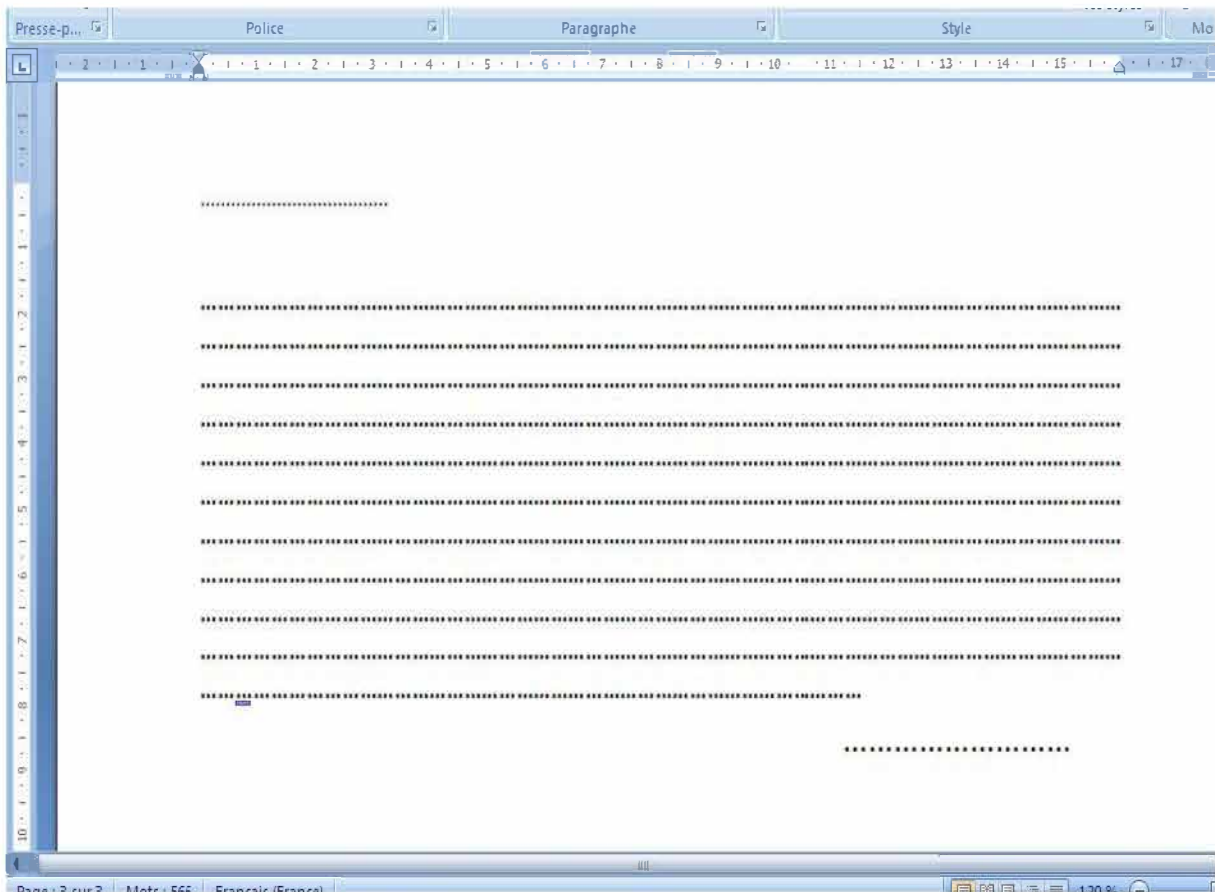
III WRITING

1- reorder the following sentences into a coherent letter. Number one is done.

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| I know that you never liked Martin because he’s blind | |
| I love you both and I hope you can for forgive me. | |
| I’m really sorry, but when you read this letter i’ll be far away, married to Martin. | 1 |
| But i really love him very much and I’m going to do what I want to. | |
| Don’t worry about me.Look after each other. I promise to write you again soon | |

2-With the help of your English teacher, you decided to organize a charity day for the refugees coming from Lybia. Use the following hints to write an email to your penfriend to tell him about this humanitarian action and the way you felt after it.

- Volunteering to raise money
- using the money to buy food, medicines, wheelchairs
- Taking the money and supplies to the homeless, needy people and children.
- Performing a show to help them forget their sufferings.
- You : feeling excited, proud and helpful.
- Refugees : feeling pleased, thankful and full of hope.



Mini Biography



American **superstar** Michael Jackson was born in Gary, Indiana, on August 29, 1958, and **entertained** audiences nearly his entire life. By the early 1960s, the older boys Jackie, Tito and Jermaine had begun performing around the city; by 1964, Michael and Marlon had joined in.

A musical **prodigy**, Michael's singing and dancing talents were amazingly mature, and he soon became the dominant voice and focus of The Jackson5. As a product of the 1970s, the boys emerged as one of the most accomplished black pop/soul vocal groups in music history.

Solo success for Michael was inevitable, and by the 1980s, he had infinitely more popular than his brotherly group. Record sales consistently orbited, culminating in the biggest-selling album of all "Thriller" in 1982 with sales estimated by various sources as somewhere between 65 and 110 million copies worldwide. A TV he ventured rather uneasily into films



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In the 1990s, Michael grew terribly child-like, his physical appearance began to change drastically, and his behavior grew alarmingly bizarre, making him a consistent target for scandal-making, despite his numerous charitable acts.



Michael Jackson was a true humanitarian. In his lifetime, he was listed in the 2000 edition of the **Guinness Book of World Records** for breaking the world record for the "Most Charities Supported by a Pop Star." He had supported 39 charities. He truly cared about people suffering leukemia, aids, cancer. He donated millions of dollars to the Michael Jackson Burn Center for Children. In 1986, he set up the "Michael Jackson United Negro College Fund Endowed Scholarship Fund".

Despite it all, Michael Jackson's passion and artistry as a singer, dancer, writer and businessman are unparalleled, and it is these prodigious talents that will ultimately prevail over the extremely negative aspects of his seriously troubled adult life.

it all to end on June 25, 2009, with his sudden death at age 50 of drug-induced cardiac attack, seems uncommonly cruel and tragic. Millions upon millions of dedicated fans will remember where they were "the day Michael died".



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